

### H. S. MUSICAL GROUPS IN WINTER CONCERT

Attractive Program To Be Presented on December 15

Colorful posters made by students in Miss Lucile Wood's Art classes will soon be distributed in prominent spots in this and the neighboring communities announcing the Winter Concert to be given free of charge by the Music department of the High school, at the Highland Park High school auditorium, Sunday, December 15th, promptly at 3:30 p.m. Everyone who is interested in music and in giving encouragement to the 400 earnest young people who will participate is welcome to attend, and special invitations will be distributed next week to the students in the upper grades in the grade schools in the Deerfield-Shields district to attend this concert given by the band, the chorus and the orchestra.

A particularly attractive and varied program has been prepared to suit the tastes of young and old. The band will start out with the lively March from the Second Suite for Military band, composed by the eminent modern English composer, Gustav Holst, will give the beautiful First Movement from the Symphony in C Major by Saint-Saens, and excerpts from the always popular First Act of Wagner's tuneful opera, "Lohengrin." The orchestra will render the genial and sprightly First Movement of Haydn's 7th Classical Symphony, the solemn stately "Pavane" by the modern French composer, Ravel, and the jolly Overture to Rossini's well known opera buffa "L'Italiana in Algeri". Both the band and the orchestra will be conducted by the head of the Music department, Mr. Harold N. Finch, whose reputation as a conductor, a clarinetist and a composer has been long established in this part of the country. The program of the chorus, under the capable leadership of Walter Aschenbrenner, conductor of the Chicago Symphonic choir, will be published in the next week's issue of THE PRESS.

This concert, which is the only one during the year in which all of the musical organizations in the school participate, numbering about 400 students, is sponsored by the Music committee of the school P.T.A. of which Mrs. Arthur Raff is chairman; Mrs. Clarence W. Schaaf, co-chairman, and the following are members: Mesdames Karl Wagner, Robert A. Bryant Sr., J. A. O. Preus, Ernest West, Lee Supple, Morris Greenberg and Henry C. Hawes, with the president of the P.T.A., Mrs. Harold Norman, an ex-officio member and Mr. A. E. Wolters, acting principal of the school, also an ex-officio member.

### Highwood Vehicle Tags Now Available

The 1941 vehicle licenses are now available at the Highwood City Clerk's office according to Thomas Russell, Highwood City Clerk. These city tags must be procured before the first of January.

## PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the National Safety Council, supported by 30 other national organizations, is conducting a nationwide campaign to reduce the heavy December traffic toll, and

WHEREAS, the needless loss of human lives on America's streets and highways usually reaches a peak in December, when bad weather and more hours of darkness combine with the hurry and excitement of the holiday season to transform Christmas joy into tragedy and suffering;

THEREFORE, I, as Mayor, knowing that every resident of this city is eager to join a campaign to prevent death and suffering, call upon every citizen to join in this effort and through added caution in driving and walking to make this Christmas truly a happy one.

FRANK J. RONAN, Mayor.

### Mrs. W. W. Ramsey To Address League Of Women Voters

Members of the League of Women Voters will be immensely pleased to note that Mrs. W. W. Ramsey of Chicago will be speaker at the regular monthly meeting to be held at the Y.W.C.A. at 1:15 p.m. on Wednesday, December 18th.

Mrs. Ramsey has been a member of the National Board Women Voters and vice president of the Illinois league. She has served as State Chairman of Elections and Nominations and was largely responsible for Cook county's adoption of Permanent Registration.

She is one of the most popular speakers the league offers to its membership and will warrant members making an effort to attend even though the meeting is the first week before Christmas.

### Holiday Dance Dec. 28 At Community Center

A Holiday dance is being planned by members of the Highland Park Young Men's club, for Saturday evening, December 28th. Dancing will begin at 8:30 p.m. at the Community center on Central Ave. This will be an informal party.

Tickets may be secured from members of the board of directors, Mr. X at H. P. Community Center or at the next regular meeting of the Y.M.C. to be held Thursday evening, December 12th.

### D.A.R. Holds Annual Xmas Party Dec. 12

North Shore Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will hold their annual Christmas meeting and guest day, Thursday, Dec. 12, at 2 p.m. at H.P. Community Center.

Guest speaker will be Jean Pickett Cochran. Her subject will be "Women's Organizations Answer to the Challenge of Today's Youth."

### REDEEMER CHURCH TO DEDICATE ORGAN

New Instrument Obtained Thru Pledges And Donations

The Redeemer Lutheran church, West Central avenue will dedicate a new Hammond organ at the morning service at 10:30 o'clock Sunday.

The congregation decided upon the purchase of a Hammond Electric organ, since there is no space provided for an organ chamber in the church building for a pipe organ. The Hammond organ has no pipes, reeds or vibrating parts; its tones are created by electric impulses.

At the service on Sunday morning Mr. Harry Eichler, the regular organist of the church, will preside at the old organ during the singing of the first hymn. Then follows the ritual of dedicating the new organ by scripture reading and prayer to the worship of God, whereupon the new organ will be used for the rest of the service. Miss Gertrude Bailey, organist of the Hammond Studios of Chicago, will be the guest organist. The Junior choir will sing appropriate numbers.

The funds for the new organ were raised by voluntary subscription from all the members of the church and the congregation takes great pride in announcing that practically the whole sum has been realized in cash donations and pledges.

Sometime after the holidays an organ recital will be given by a competent organist for the benefit of non-members who can not attend this service.

### Mrs. Faxon's Book Review Next Monday

Mrs. Lloyd Faxon of Winnetka will review "Empire on the Seven Seas" by James Trueslow Adams, at the next regular monthly book review held at Highland Park Presbyterian church, Monday, Dec. 9, at 2 o'clock, is the meeting date.

### ADULT CLASSES OFFER RIFLE INSTRUCTION

New Term Opens January 13; Enrollment Now Being Made

Registration for the second term of the Adult Education classes which start January 13 is well under way. More than one hundred registrations have already been made and according to the present indications several classes will be filled before the end of the first term on December 11.

The classes in Woodwork, Upholstery and Badminton on Monday evenings have an especially heavy advance enrollment. All persons not attending the first term classes should enroll before the Christmas holidays.

A new class in Rifle Instruction is being planned for the second term. This class which is being sponsored by the Community Center, will have as its instructors men who are members of the National Rifle Association. Great interest in this course is anticipated because of the present national conditions and because of the great advantage that such instruction will give to all individuals who may be drafted. The high school rifle range will probably be enlarged and additional rifles will be secured. Such expert riflemen as Major Parker, Mr. Haupt, Mr. Butterworth and Mr. Cole are interested in this group and will see to it that the best possible instruction is given each evening. This class will start on Wednesday evening, January 15, at the Highland Park high school. Registrations should be made on December 9 and 11 or on January 6 and 8.

### Administration Comments

(Continued from page 3) ing. Drainage and sewage disposal in the western areas within the community are not all what they should be. Again, it is believed by many that a full time health officer could well be used.

Despite opinions to the contrary, those close to the picture feel that the Police Department could do a better job if its personnel and equipment were added to. The equipment in practically every department of the city is badly in need of replacement and repair.

One could go on indefinitely naming places where money could be well spent. The need is there. The ways and means of satisfying those needs is going to take up much of the council's time during the coming months.

### William M. Dooley, Former H.P. Mayor, Is Greatly Improved

William M. Dooley, former mayor of Highland Park, who suffered an heart attack November 17th, and has since been confined to the Highland Park hospital, is reported very much improved. He is expected to return to his home, Sunday.

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### ALPHA GAMMA PLAN PART

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### SHENKER-W. ENGAGEMENT

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### SPENGLER-ENGAGEMENT

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